## Security Message for U.S. Citizens

Although the Embassy does not have any information regarding specific threats, in light of recent events and ongoing tensions, the Embassy has instructed its staff to defer all personal travel to the Xinjiang Uighur Autonomous Region until further notice.

The Embassy reminds U.S. citizens that while violent crime is not common in China, violent incidents may occur without warning. The vast majority of these incidents are related to disputes over land seizures, social issues, employment disputes, environmental problems, or ethnic tensions. In 2014, violent attacks, including acts of terrorism, have resulted in several dozen injuries and deaths in public spaces throughout China, including train stations and markets. Although neither U.S. citizens specifically nor foreigners generally were targeted in these attacks, such incidents pose a random threat to foreigners. The Embassy recommends that U.S. citizens pay attention to their surroundings when traveling in China and report any concerns to the local police.

For the latest security information, U.S. citizens living and traveling abroad should regularly monitor the Department's Bureau of Consular Affairs Internet website at <a href="http://travel.state.gov/">http://travel.state.gov/</a>, where the current Worldwide Caution, Country Specific Information, Public Announcements, and Travel Warnings can be found. Up-to-date information on security can also be obtained by calling 1-888-407-4747 toll free in the United States or Canada, or for callers outside the United States and Canada, a regular toll line at 1-202-501-4444. These numbers are available from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Eastern Time (EST), Monday through Friday (except U.S. federal holidays).

The U.S. Embassy in Beijing can be reached 24 hours per day at 86-10-8531-4000. The addresses and telephone contact information for the U.S. Embassy and Consulates in China are at the bottom of this announcement.

U.S. citizens residing or traveling in China are reminded to register with the U.S. Embassy or closest U.S. Consulate by entering your travel itinerary and contact

information at <a href="https://step.state.gov/step/">https://step.state.gov/step/</a>. In case of difficulties registering online, please contact the closest U.S. Embassy or Consulate.

#### The U.S. Embassy in Beijing, China

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#### The U.S. Consulate General in Chengdu

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This consular district includes the provinces/autonomous region of Guizhou, Sichuan, Xizang (Tibet) and Yunnan, as well as the special municipality of Chongqing.

# The U.S. Consulate General in Guangzhou

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### The U.S. Consulate General in Wuhan

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[Please note that consular services are provided only during quarterly outreaches in

Wuhan. Contact the Embassy in Beijing for other consular and emergency

services.]